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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Listing of Pending Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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